

Copy-write Editorials.

Emmeline is at Ellis island hesitating between a hunger strike and a writ of habeas corpus.

Secretary McAdoo has ordered the discontinuance of the custom of using "V" for "U" in inscriptions on public buildings.

Miss Gott and Mr. Hunt were married at Bowling Green Saturday and the headlines put it Gott-Hunt. And it suited Hunt.

Eighteen divorces were granted in Louisville Saturday. Staying married is getting to be one of the real problems of the day.

The political enemies of Gov. Earl Brewer, of Mississippi, are trying to bring about his impeachment on the grounds of immorality.

Ella Moore, an Oklahoma girl, at Concordia, Kan., took the law into her own hands and killed Frank Kelly, who attacked her.

Mrs. Edwin Schurz and three lady visitors were instantly killed at La Porte, Ind., when the Schurz auto was struck by a freight train.

Mrs. Samuel Jerollman and three other occupants were killed on the first trip made in a new auto at New Orleans Saturday. It was hit by a train.

Miss Sarah Knight, a recluse spinster, died recently in New York and was found to own \$1,000,000 in bonds and real estate. In her will she left her property to two cousins at Sedalia, Mo.

King Otto, the mad king of Bavaria, is said to be failing fast. For 27 years he has been confined in a mad house. Like Nebuchadnezzar, his mania has recently led him to eating grass.

Senator Clapp, of Minnesota, volunteered to act as attorney for two newsboys who were arrested for jumping on street cars. He said "I did worse things than that when I was a boy and nobody arrested me."

Thaw's lawyers have filed a new brief claiming that the warrant for his extradition is defective and that he has never been indicted for conspiracy. There are no indications as to when Gov. Felker will pass on the case.

Sulzer's admiring friends presented him with a loving cup Saturday and gave him a popular ovation, promising to run him for President. He is being beset with offers to lecture, one as high as \$100,000 for the season from a Chicago promoter.

Senator Clapp's bill prohibiting the sending of campaign funds from one state to another passed the Senate Saturday. It does not effect national committees so long as public reports are named of contributions received and sent to state committees.

Huerta is out in another statement denouncing as false the report that he is to resign as President of Mexico. The Dictator has released 56 of the 110 deputies arrested October 10 and thrown into prison. The others are still in prison under charges of rebellion and sedition.

A class of 18 girls are being taught the carpenter trade in the public schools of Toledo, Ohio. Several married women have asked to be admitted to the class, which is the first of its kind in the United States. The girls will first be taught the use of the hammer and saw, but it is not believed that they can ever be taught to "saw wood and say nothing."

Henry Lane Wilson is making speeches in the West defending the Huerta regime, excusing the assassination of Pres. Madero and criticizing President Wilson for being "more concerned over the death of the two Maderos than over the murder of 84 Americans while Madero was President" and he might have added while he was Ambassador and failed to properly represent his government.

WHOA EMMA,
SAYSUNCLESAM

We Want You To Stop Awhile
With Us On Ellis
Island.

YOUR RECORD IS VERY BAD.

Mrs. Pankhurst's Arson Con-
victions Make Her Unde-
sirable.

New York, Oct. 20.—Mrs. Emma line Pankhurst, foremost of English militant suffragettes, who reached America on the liner Provence to appeal for the sympathy and support of the American people in "the revolution" for which she says she is fighting, is a prisoner tonight at Ellis Island under order of deportation, awaiting the issue of an appeal which is expected to be decided tomorrow at Washington.

With Miss Rheta Childe Dorr, another of the arriving English militants, who was "voluntarily detained," that she might be with her leader, Mrs. Pankhurst, occupies the commissioner's suite of two rooms in the administration building. While presenting an appearance of bareness, the rooms are comfortably furnished and are the best in the building. They are the ones in which Cipriano Castro, former Venezuelan dictator, was detained while his case was pending. From the broad windows overlooking the harbor Mrs. Pankhurst can see the statue of liberty.

ORDERED DEPORTED.

Mrs. Pankhurst was detained by an immigration inspector on her arrival here, and was at once taken before a special board of inquiry which after examining her, decided because she had been convicted abroad for acts involving moral turpitude she was an undesirable alien. The board, therefore, ordered her exclusion.

An appeal immediately was entered, and immigration Commissioner Caminetti heard argument on her case yesterday and refused bail. Mrs. Pankhurst's representative here expressed confidence that what ever might be done about the appeal, the English militant would be released under bond for three weeks, so that she might fill her speaking engagements here.

"Of course, even if the appeal fails we still have the habeas corpus proceeding," he said.

After Postmaster's Shoes.

Democrats at Elkton, Trenton and Guthrie are getting pie hungry. The term of postmaster at Elkton, says the Times, does not expire for two years, but charges of "pernicious political activity" have been filed against him and an inspector has been to Elkton to investigate. The Times says that for awhile it was thought that Walter Abshire was sure to displace W. L. Kimbrough but this week F. M. Taliaferro seems to have the inside track. W. A. Dickinson, who was defeated for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk, will, unless all signs fail, succeed E. C. Stockwell at Trenton.

Hopkinsville's postmaster is smiling serenely, drawing his salary and, from all appearances, is not making himself conspicuous by "pernicious political activity."

National Apple Day.

The millions of people in the United States directly and indirectly interested in promoting the apple, our national fruit, are reminded that today is the ninth anniversary of National Apple Day as the horticultural organization, both national and state have unanimously fixed upon the third Tuesday in October to be observed in considering all available means of promoting apple culture.

CRAZY JEW
ARRESTED

Came Over Here After Going to
Clarksville From Nash-
ville, Tenn.

HAD \$45 IN MONEY WITH HIM

Man's Peculiar Actions Caused
The Police To Lock
Him Up.

Thursday afternoon, a short time before the train over the L. & N. came in the police noticed a man standing round the station that aroused interest. When the train pulled in he made no effort to get on but stood around with a suitcase in hand and a far away look in his eyes.

The police came to the conclusion that he was demented and arrested him after nightfall and took him to the station.

At the station he gave his name as Ike Blumenthal and his home Nashville. In the suitcase was a lot of clothing, a pair of shoes, etc. He had \$45 in money in his pocket.

Friday Chief Roper got in communication with a firm in Nashville Blumenthal had been working for. They asked the Chief how much money the man had when arrested and when told said they had sent him a check for \$50 when he was at Clarksville.

Later on the Chief was directed to send Blumenthal to Nashville and turn him over to the chief of police there, and to take the money necessary out of the money found on the man.

Saturday morning Officer Hawkins, who is taking his vacation, took charge of the demented man and took him to Nashville on the Dixie Flyer. The firm Blumenthal had been working for told Chief Roper that as soon as the man was delivered to the authorities at Nashville, they would see that his parents, who are Jews, would take care of him.

TWO DEATHS

One Webster County Patient,
Other From McCracken.

Smith Bryant, died at the Western Hospital last Friday of chronic dysentery, aged 59 years. He had been in the institute about two months and was sent here from Webster county. The body was shipped to Sebree Saturday for interment near Dixon. The deceased was a farmer.

William Bell, a patient from McCracken county, died the day before of epilepsy, aged 57 years. He was received here about ten months ago. His remains were interred in the hospital burying ground.

The Bright Star.

The Pennyroyal Fair was the bright particular star in the constellation of accomplishments by the people of Hopkinsville. To every man, woman and child who contributed to its success the hustling Christian county capital—the best inland town in Kentucky—must acknowledge itself forever indebted, as no other one thing has so opened the eyes of the people everywhere to what the Hopkinsville spirit means and can accomplish. There is the very best feeling prevalent everywhere towards Hopkinsville and her institutions, and the manner in which "The Pennyroyal State Fair," as it deserves to be called, was conducted, is highly conducive to yet stronger ties between the people of the city and those of the surrounding territory.—Elkton Times.

H. A. M. A.
TO BANQUET

The Meeting Friday Night En-
thusiastic and Work Was
Mapped Out.

SEVERAL COMMITTEES NAMED

Efforts Will Be Put Forth To
Increase The Mem-
bership.

The meeting of the Business Men's Association last Friday night was well attended and considerable work for the future was talked over and several committees were appointed.

R. E. Cooper, President, presided and was pleased with the manifest enthusiasm of those present. He appointed a committee to use every effort in increasing the membership. Mr. Cooper is not satisfied to let past achievements go down in the history of the association as all that the Association can do. He believes there is much more work to be done that is as necessary as securing reductions on coal rates, boosting the fair, etc., etc.

George E. Gary was present and gave quite an interesting talk. Mr. Gary is a close observer and told of what he recently saw in Washington in a way that pleased the members. He has made two trips recently and may soon have to make a third in his efforts to secure the contract for building the postoffice next year.

The road proclamation of Gov. McCreary was freely talked about and Frank Yost, T. J. McReynolds and Geoffrey Morgan were appointed a committee to get everybody possible to work the county roads next Friday and Saturday.

The members were convinced that the Association and business men generally ought to mingle occasionally and decided to have a banquet at the Avalon next Friday night. Thos. L. Metcalfe, W. R. Wheeler, C. O. Wright and Secretary Bleich were appointed a committee to make all arrangements for the banquet. T. J. McReynolds, A. H. Eckles and Frank Yost were named as a committee on invitation and program.

INCENDIARY FIRE.

Webster County Having Trou-
ble with Barn Burners.

"Dumpers take notice. Do not sell your tobacco on the Hopkinsville market or anywhere else."

Incendiaries are supposed to have started a fire at Slaughterville before daybreak Sunday morning, which destroyed the large factory and the 60 acres of tobacco of H. B. Archibald, the Baptist Church and two dwelling houses occupied by colored people.

A note, as above, supposed to have been left by the firebugs, was printed with a pencil and was found which was unsigned.

It appears that a few days before the fire occurred, Mr. Archibald carried several samples of his weed to Hopkinsville for exhibition on the loose leaf floor and it is understood that he intended to sell his crop in this manner.

Last year he pooled part of his crop and sold the rest independently. It is said.—Dixon Journal.

Supplemental Registration.

Under the Kentucky statutes Tuesday after the first Monday in November is election day. The polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 4 p. m. The election this year is on the 4th day of November.

The special registration days are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the week preceding the election, which this year will be Oct. 27th, 28th and 29th.

Only those can register who were prevented from registering by sickness or absence on October 6.

SATURDAY
SHOOTING

Tot White Shot at Rumsey
Fleming Four Times Three
Taking Effect.

VICTIM ALIVE YESTERDAY.

White Arrested and Examining
Trial Held Yesterday
Morning.

A shooting fest took place at old Garrettsburg last Saturday about 5 o'clock p. m. Tot White and Rumsey Fleming, both colored, were the principals.

White says that he another colored man were sitting on a porch when Fleming came up and commenced talking with the other negro. The conversation was about some hogs having gotten into a cornfield of Fleming's and when the men got angry and were about to get into a difficulty, he (White) told Fleming to do the fair thing. Fleming, White says, then asked him what he had to do with it. White said in reply that he just wanted to see the right thing done, and then Fleming commenced swearing and called him by a name that should not be printed.

It was then that the shooting took place. White says he emptied four chambers of his 32 caliber pistol at Fleming, but did not know how many times he hit him.

Fleming returned the shots of White but did not strike him. Yesterday morning Fleming was resting easy, but it will be almost a miracle if he recovers. Two of the shots took effect a little above each groin and another entered Fleming's body in the right side, just below the ribs.

The authorities here were notified and Deputy Sheriff Herbert Johnson left Saturday night and went to White's house and arrested and brought him to the city and placed him in jail.

White was before Judge Knight yesterday morning and waived a preliminary trial. He was held over to the next grand jury on the charge of malicious shooting in an affray in the sum of \$300. The bond was made and White was released.

CONTRACT LET

For Building Large Tobacco
Warehouse Last Saturday.

The building of the new tobacco loose floor warehouse, to be used by Douglas Hancock, D. M. Butler, Fred Jackson and others, was let last Saturday. Odie Davis will superintend the construction.

Injured by Fall.

Miss Sallie Wallace, an aged lady living on South Walnut street, sustained painful injuries from a fall last Saturday. After she was taken into the house a physician was summoned, and necessary aid was rendered.

When Autumn Ends.

A table prepared for the latitude of Nashville, running back to 1871 shows the earliest frost was Oct. 8, in 1889, and the latest was Nov. 20, in 1881. The average was Oct. 28 and the average latest frost in the Spring was April 1st.

Cook-Adams.

Marriage license was issued to Miss Mattie Cook and Mr. Alger Adams last Saturday. Both of them live west of Crofton. The marriage will take place today or Wednesday.

CONTRACT IS
HELD INVALID

No More Street Improvements
In Hopkinsville This
Year.

APPEAL IS TAKEN.

School Bonds to Be Charged
Against Each Year's Cur-
rent Debts.

The test suit to determine the validity of a contract for \$8,500 worth of bitulithic paved streets was decided by Judge Hanbery Saturday, the decision being that the contract is invalid for the reason that the city has already expended more than the revenues for 1913.

The matter hinged on whether or not \$66,000 worth of high school bonds issued in 1910 and 1911 by the Council without submitting the question to a vote, should be held as an indebtedness against this year's revenues. Judge Hanbery holds that this must be done. The case is a very important one to this city, and will be taken to the Court of Appeals for final settlement as soon as possible. The lengthy opinion concludes as follows:

"The court is of the opinion that the limitation on the aggregate indebtedness of the city, as provided in Section 157, in its practical application, means: That at the beginning of each year the debts due by the city which were created without a vote of the people must be taken into account, and to the sum total of such debts each subsequent debt created in that year without a vote of the people must be added, and at no time shall such indebtedness in the aggregate exceed the income and revenue provided for that year; and so on through the subsequent years.

"It is seriously urged by counsel for defendants that if this interpretation should prevail the city would, at the end of the present year, be unable to meet its most urgent and immediate needs or pay its necessary expenses, and its governmental functions would be thereby greatly impaired.

"This court does not now express an opinion as to the extent the board of council may go in arranging to meet the immediate governmental needs in such a financial emergency as the one supposed. But if such will be the condition of the city finances at the end of the present year it is easy to see how beneficial is the effect of the interpretation herein given; and how harmful it would be to withhold the restraint provided in that section and postpone the evil day until the aggregate indebtedness of the city will reach without a legal vote of the people, the barrier of maximum percentage contained in Section 157. Thus the city would find itself in a dilemma more deplorable and one more difficult to extricate itself from than the one supposed to exist at the end of the present year.

"Under this view of the case the court sustains the demurrer to defendant's answer and amended answer, and the relief sought in plaintiff's petition is hereby granted and to that end the defendants, Southern Bitulithic Company and the City of Hopkinsville, are and each of them perpetually enjoined from carrying out the contract made by them on the 3rd day of July, 1913, and that the City of Hopkinsville be perpetually enjoined from paying to the Southern Bitulithic Company the sum of \$8,500 or any other sum under said contract. And the Southern Bitulithic Company is perpetually enjoined from paying the streets of Hopkinsville under said contract and said contract is adjudged to be null and void, and it is the judgment of the court that the plaintiff recover of the defendants their cost in this action; from which judgment the defendant, the Southern Bitulithic Company, prays an appeal to the Court of Appeals of Kentucky, which is granted."